



The Standards Coordinating Panel (SCP) Authorities

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MCEB Authorities

- **DoD Directive 5100.35 Provides MCEB the Authority to serve as the resolution body for issues that surface during certification of C4I requirements**
- **DoD Directive 5100.35 instructs the MCEB Chair to make reports and furnish recommendations on the activities of the MCEB to the Secretary of Defense through the chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff**
- **Also instructs MCEB Chair to provide information on MCEB actions to & coordinate activities with, the DOD CIO**





MCEB Authorities(cont.)

- **CJCSI 6212.01A, applies to the Military Services, Joint Staff, combatant commands, and those activities and agencies reporting to the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.**
- **CJCSI 6212.01A covers the compatibility, interoperability & integration of new or modifications to existing DOD systems that have C4I capabilities (including weapon systems, DOD National Foreign Intelligence Programs and Tactical Intelligence and Related Activities) acquired or developed in support of military operations including automated information systems (AISs) not normally included in C4I definitions but which have missions requiring interface to the joint Warfighter**



MCEB Mission

- “Obtain coordination on military communications-electronics matters among DoD components, between the DoD and other governmental departments and agencies, and between the DoD and representatives of foreign nations.”
- “Coordinate operational guidance and direction to CINC's, Services, and agencies.”
- “Furnish advice and assistance, as requested, on military communications-electronics matters to the Secretary of Defense, the Joint Chiefs of Staff, the military departments, and other DoD components.”

DoD Directive 5100.35, 10 March 1998





MCEB Membership

Director for C4I Systems, Joint Staff (J6)
Vice Director for C4I Systems, Joint Staff (J6)
Director of Information Systems for C4, U.S. Army
Director, Space, Information Warfare, C2, U.S. Navy
Director, Communications and Information, U.S. Air Force
Assistant Chief of Staff, C4I, U.S. Marine Corps
Assistant Commandant for Systems, U.S. Coast Guard
Director, Defense Information System Agency
Director, National Security Agency
Director, Defense Intelligence Agency

**Serves As the Senior Certification and Issue Resolution
Body for C4I Systems and Standards.**





MCEB Sub Panels

DoD Directive 5100.35, 10 March 1998 :

Provides the MCEB the authority to establish and direct, as required subsidiary panels to support MCEB activities thus allowing the MCEB to establish “The Standards Coordinating Panel” (SCP)





Bridging Law & Policy Efforts

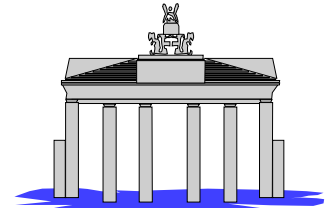
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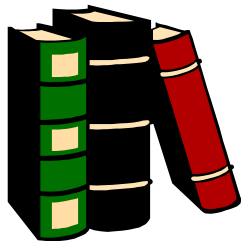
LEGISLATION

DSP



Cataloging
& Standardization

CFITS



POLICY

DoD Directive 5100.35
-Sec Defense Memo &
ASD (C3I) Memo Re: Exec Agent of DOD
Information Standards



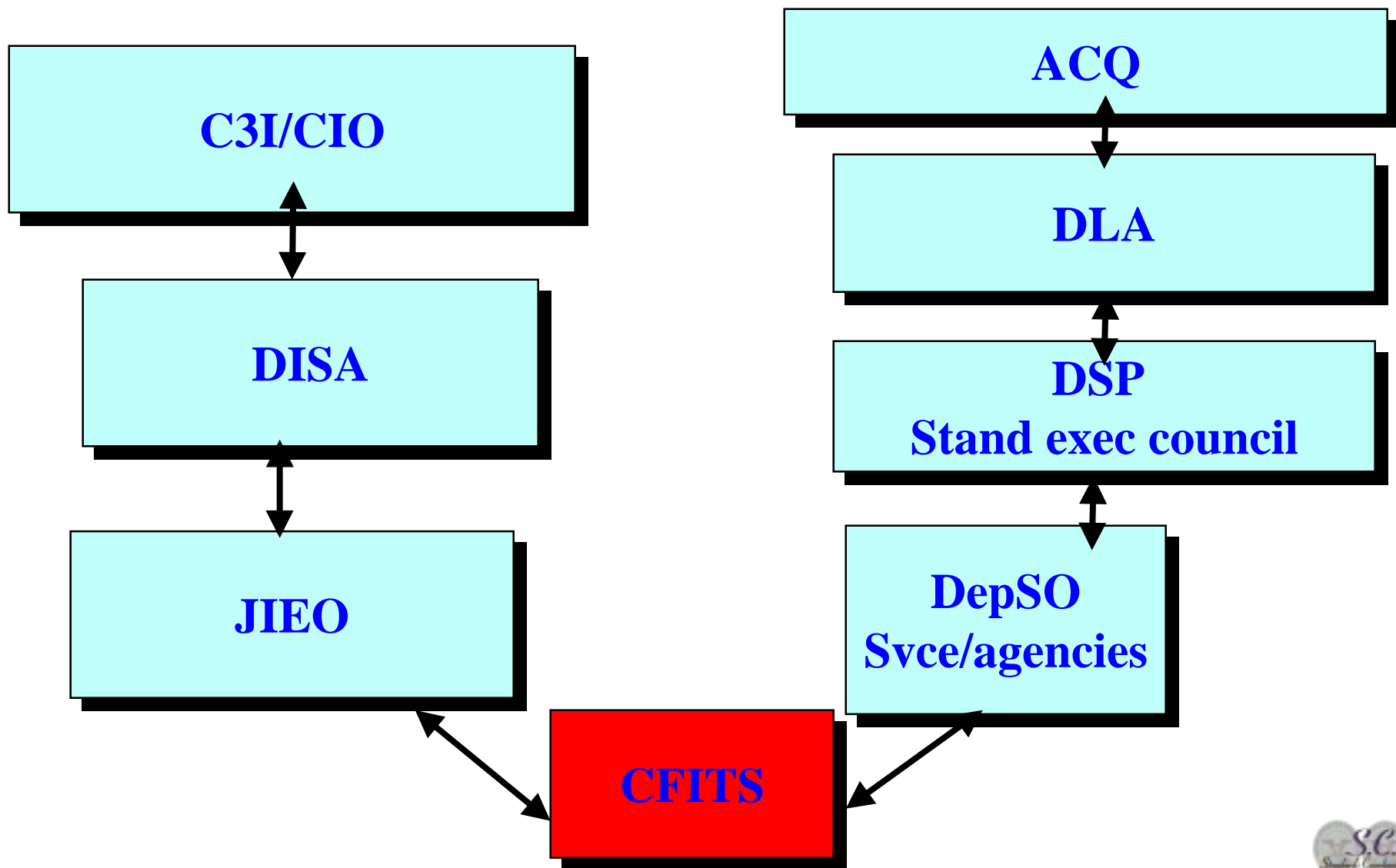
POLICY

DODI 4120.24
Def Std Pgm





Standardization Hierarchy





SCP Purpose

- The SCP was put in place to provide a single focal point to coordinate all DoD Information technology (IT) standards activities and manage the overall DOT IT Standards Process. To make this work The SCP must be formally recognized by MCEB. (stated by DISA Dir to J-6)
- The SCP panel shall focus on the development and approval of standards as they apply to C4I Info technologies MTF/TDIL
 - Prepare positions on the development of new technical interface standards relating to the interoperability of data Systems - (stated by MCEB)





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BACKUP SLIDES





MCEB Sub Panels

- The Interoperability Improvement Panel (IIP) will serve as the resolution body for Operational issues surfaced during certification of C4I requirements.
- The Interoperability Test Panel (ITP) will oversee conduct of the interoperability certification process, resolve testing issues, and waive requirements for interoperability certification.
- The Information Systems Security (INFOSEC) Panel will resolve INFOSEC interoperability issues. This includes INFOSEC interoperability requirements between US C4I systems and those of allies.
- The Standards Coordinating Committee (SCC) will resolve standards issues that arise in this process.





SCC Within DoD

**Assistant Secretary of Defense for C3I/ DoD Chief Information Officer
(ASD(C3I)/DoD CIO)**

Overall C4I Authority



**Director for C4I
Joint Staff**

MCEB Chairman

**Military Communications
Electronics Board (MCEB)**



**Director
Defense Information System Agency
(DISA)**

DoD Executive Agent

**Commander
Center for Information Technology
Standards (CFITS)**

***Standards Coordinating
Committee***





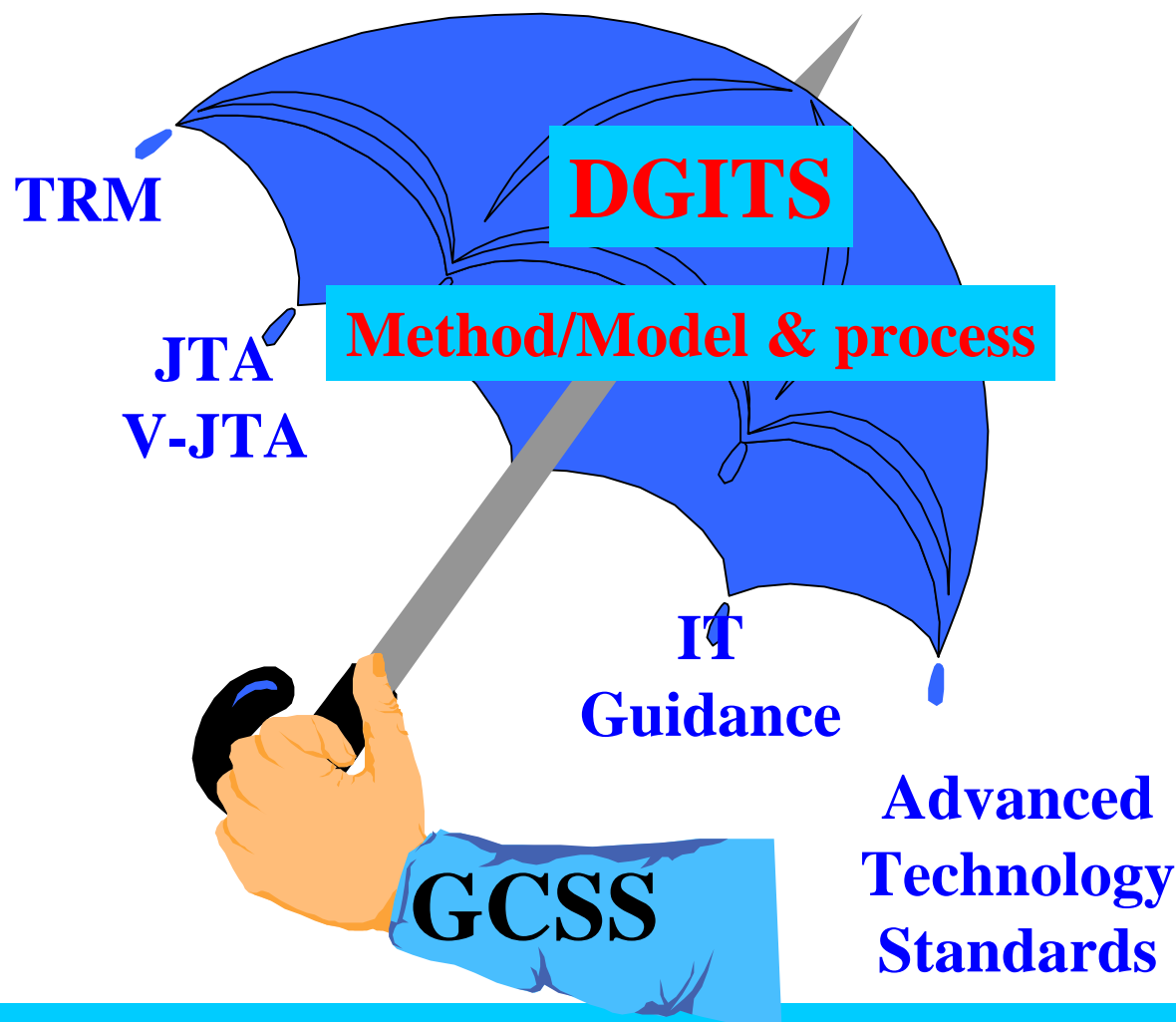
MCEB Authority

- **Compatibility, Interoperability, And Integration Of Command, Control, Communications, Computers, And Intelligence (C3I) Systems**
 - DoD Directive 5100.35, 10 March 1998
 - DoD Directive 4630.5, November 12, 1992
 - DODI 4630.8, November 18, 1992,
 - CJCSI 6212.01A, 30 June 1995
- **Public Law 104-106, “Subdivision E of the Clinger-Cohen Act of 1996,” February 10, 1996 (formerly the Information Technology Management Reform Act (ITMRA) of 1996)**
- **Secretary of Defense Memorandum, “Implementation of Subdivision E of the Clinger-Cohen Act of 1996, June 2, 1997**





SCC “DIGITS Umbrella”



Defense Guidance Information Technology Standards Umbrella

